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Cops arrest teens for bank robbery

ARMED Oh, kids today — with their iPods and their video games and their armed bank robberies.

Two teens, a 15-year-old and a 17-year-old, were arrested yesterday in connection to a knife-point robbery at Heritage Credit Union on Sackville Drive Monday.

That day a white male entered the bank, told a cashier he had a knife and left with an undisclosed amount of money. Outside, a small red sports car was waiting for him and drove off.

Yesterday police found the vehicle at Millwood high and arrested the 17-year-old. The 15-year-old was arrested shortly after at his home. Both will be charged with armed robbery.

Guns, drugs found in home search

TRAFFICKING After a man was stabbed in Halifax Tuesday, a search was done on a Main Ave. home. Police discovered three handguns, one long gun, ammunition, body armour, cash and crack cocaine. Two males aged 21 and 28 now face various charges including assault with a weapon, aggravated assault and possession for the purpose of trafficking.

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Film fest Growing Op



Kayaker Adam van Koeverden races to the finish line during his heat at the 2008 Sprint Canoe National Championships on Lake Banook yesterday. Van Koeverden won a silver medal in the K-1 500 metre event at the Beijing Olympics.

Growing the grassroots

Van Koeverden takes time to talk to the kids at national championship

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If you want to see Adam van Koeverden's Olympic silver medal, just ask him for it on the shores of Lake Banook.

He is one of more than a dozen Olympians strolling around in red national team tracksuits between races at the Canadian sprint canoe-kayak championships, and he is easy to spot with a heavy-duty pair of orange, Viking rubber boots.

"I got to see Olympic medals before I was an Olympic medalist, so I think it's a big part of the process."

Adam van Koeverden

"The kids are asking to see it, and when they ask to see it, I definitely don't mind," said van Koeverden, who won silver in the K-1 1,000 in Beijing, adding to the gold and bronze he won in 2004. "I got to see Olympic medals before I was an Olympic medalist, so I think it's a

big part of the process."

It's also a big part of why van Koeverden is competing at nationals with barely any rest after Saturday's silver-medal race, Sunday's closing ceremonies, and Monday's flight home.

Although results at nationals don't mean much

to Olympians, van Koeverden never considered scratching the event.

"It's a super opportunity for us to get home and talk to all the kids in the sport and be around all the young people aspiring to go to the Olympics one day," he said. "It's something we really can't miss. We can't afford to miss it."

Van Koeverden, who calls Oakville, Ont., home, actually spent two years of his early childhood living around the corner from Lake Banook on Murray

Hill Drive.

He wasn't overly impressed with yesterday's rain — saying "that's what you expect when you come to Halifax" — but he's looking forward to enjoying the city while he's here.

"We're just here to have a good time, more or less," van Koeverden said. "I like this city when it's not pouring rain, so hopefully it will let up and we can enjoy ourselves."

The regatta runs daily and wraps up on Sunday.

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Local



Keepin' it clean

Kids will walk the highways near Bible Hill today picking up garbage. Fifty members of Nova Scotia's Youth Conservation Corps worked all summer on environmental projects throughout the province. Some of them lived with host families in Ecuador while looking at eco-tourism and reforestation issues.

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Rerouting set for Urban concert

HALIFAX COMMON Parking and sidewalks around the Halifax Common will be limited this weekend to make way for the Keith Urban concert.

Signs will be posted telling people no parking is allowed on the south side of Cunard Street, the west side of North Park Street and the north side of Cogswell Street until the morning of Sept. 2.

Until Tuesday, pedestrians also won't have access to sidewalks around the North Common on Cunard, North Park and Cogswell streets.

The city is asking people to use public transit when getting to and from the concert. Shuttles will be available every half hour starting at noon from the Portland Hills Terminal, South Centre Mall, Lacewood Terminal and Sackville Terminal until 8 p.m.

The shuttle service will reverse route beginning at 10 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Fare is \$2 each way. Metro Transit passes or transfers won't be accepted.

Additional ferry service begins at 10 a.m., running every 15 minutes until the last departure from Halifax at 12:45 a.m.

Call 490-4000 for more transit information.

Visit www.halifax.ca/concertonthecommon or call 490-4000 for parking and sidewalk restrictions.

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Tomorrow's Metro Movies

Check out Metro's fall movie preview, which includes *Burn After Reading*, starring George Clooney.



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What's online today.

Read Billy's Best Bottles for a primer on little-known white wines from Alsace
Watch a report on successful missions to destroy IEDs in Afghanistan and the CEO of Maple Leaf Foods absolving regulatory authorities for the listeriosis outbreak

Rain likely factor in crash: Police

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A car crash had already sent one young woman to hospital with life-threatening injuries yesterday, and rescue teams worried an infant might have been in the car as well.

A 22-year-old Sackville woman drove her white Honda Civic down Highway 102 near the exit to Highway 103 when her car slid off the road, flipped and smashed into a rocky bank at 10:14 a.m..

The jaws of life needed to be used to free the woman from the vehicle. She was taken to hospital and as of press time it was unknown whether she would survive her injuries.

Alarming, rescue



Rescue workers stand next to a children's car seat they recovered from a car that flipped off the road yesterday morning on Highway 102. A 22-year-old Sackville woman is in the hospital with life-threatening injuries.

workers found a child's car seat among the wreckage. Police and fire fighters used a heat seeking device to search for another victim in the sur-

rounding wooded area. It turned out to be a false alarm.

"She was the lone occupant in the vehicle as it turned out," said Halifax Regional Police spokesman Const. Jeff Carr.

Carr said heavy rain was falling at the time and there was "heavy puddling" on the road. Investigators believe this led to the car hydroplaning out of control and skidding off of the highway.

The roof of the car was completely torn off in the rescue, and debris, including a basketball, could be seen strewn on the nearby ground. Traffic on Highway 102 was temporarily closed to one lane.

The Halifax Regional Police accident investigation unit continues to investigate the crash.

Cold-cut-free lunches just take imagination

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Packing school lunches kids will actually eat is a challenge at the best of times, but perhaps even more so now that Maple Leaf has pulled its cold-cuts off store shelves due to an outbreak of listeriosis.

IWK Health Centre clinical dietician Cathie Walsh says she has just the solution. She suggests cooking a roast or multiple chicken breasts, slicing it all up and freezing a month's worth of servings individually in baggies for sandwiches.

"It sounds like a chore, but it saves so much time and money," Walsh says.

With many schools going peanut and sesame free these days, Walsh says alternatives can include bean dips, homemade hummus (minus tahini) and cream cheese.

Canned fish, such as salmon or tuna are also good sandwich fillers. In her sandwich, Walsh goes for tuna mixed with a little curry powder and mayo.

Any kind of cheese will also add a little meat, she adds.

"As long as you have it in

Lunchbox ideas

- Cottage cheese mixed with pineapple
- Cold boiled egg
- Firm tofu in any sauce
- Crunchy veggies and fruit
- Dill pickle
- Frozen 100% juice box
- Frozen yogurt tubes
- Cereal bar or pudding
- Dried raisins or cranberries

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moderate portions, cheese is awesome and it's so excellent for kids' teeth," she says. Walsh also suggests making burritos with ground beef, lentils or textured vegetable protein in a tortilla, and mixed with a little tomato sauce and cheese.

"They taste really good," she says.

Walsh says trying different types of local bakery breads, wraps, pitas, whole grain crackers and breadsticks will also make the lunchbox more interesting.

Farmers Market closer to new digs

The Seaport Farmers Market is \$1-million closer to reality.

City council recently approved the one-time grant for the \$10-million project, which is expected to get underway later this year.

The province has already chipped in \$2.25-million and private investors have raised about \$795,000. The federal government is also expected to provide a chunk of cash.

Downtown Halifax Business Commission executive director Paul MacKinnon says he's of two minds

Waiting list

- Council Uteck added that the "substantial" waiting list of vendors is another good reason for the move.

about the project.

In the heart of downtown in the Brewery Market, the Halifax Farmers Market is very popular and charming, he said. "There's that concern that the Seaport is just going to be enough removed from

downtown that it will no longer seem like it's in the heart of downtown," MacKinnon said.

To connect the Seaport to the downtown — part of HRM by Design — he said the city should reconsider rezoning the Seaport area to allow for residential development.

South-end Coun. Sue Uteck, who has been a champion of the project, said there's plenty of development already happening near the Seaport.

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Casey excited to hit the hustings

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POLITICS Bill Casey is pumped about the prospect of a fall election. "I am excited and I hope it does happen," he said yesterday after headlines across the country declared Prime Minister Stephen Harper is inches away from pulling the plug on his minority government.

Casey, the independent MP for Cumberland-Colchester-Musquodoboit Valley, said people are getting tired of the "false starts."

"We're ready, and I think people are ready," he said.

The former Conservative MP was kicked out of caucus in June 2007 after voting against the federal budget because it changed the terms of the 2005 Atlantic accord.

A little over a year later, he's eagerly anticipating a general election.

He said he's pleased and humbled that he not only has the support of his former riding association, but



Independent MP Bill Casey for Cumberland-Colchester-Musquodoboit Valley hopes a fall election is on the agenda.

also the support of some additional constituents.

"I have people coming to me that have not supported me in the past and who very clearly say they're going to support me in the next election," he said.

Scott Armstrong, suspended president of the Cumberland-Colchester-Musquodoboit Valley Riding Association and president of the provincial Tories, said the majority of the riding association is ready to back Casey.

"I think you'll see quite a few of them who supported Mr. Casey in the past,

"People ... have great fondness and support for Mr. Casey."

Scott Armstrong

continue to support him," he said.

The association's 30-member executive board was suspended last October by the Conservative head office when they chose to stand by Casey after he was expelled.

One of their powers suspended was finding a Conservative candidate for the riding — now the job of the federal party.

Armstrong said if an election is called in the coming weeks as Harper is indicating, it will be difficult for the association, but they're a strong, professional operation and they'll work through the challenge.

"People are still supportive of the party, but they also have great fondness and support for Mr. Casey," he said.

Election talk may be coverup: May

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Prime Minister Stephen Harper's announcement of a possible snap election in the fall may be the sign of a coverup, says one of his opponents.

"Maybe there's another scandal brewing; maybe another member of his cabinet was dating someone with a Hells Angels connection," Green Party Leader Elizabeth May said yesterday.

May, who will be pulling out all the stops in an effort to defeat Conservative MP Peter MacKay in his Central Nova riding if a general election comes to fruition, says the idea of an election being called as early as next week "defies logic."

"It's very hard to imagine a rational explanation for Mr. Harper; he can't claim that the House of Com-



Green Party Leader Elizabeth May says she thinks the prime minister's indication of a snap fall election is a bit fishy.

mons has become more dysfunctional during the time that everyone was in recess," she said.

She said the prime minister himself passed a law saying he would never pull the plug on his own government.

But Harper told a news conference the law that fixes election dates only applies to majority governments.

Peter Stoffer, New Democrat MP for Sackville-Eastern Shore, agreed with May, saying the economy is on shaky ground right now and suggested the prime minister wants to get out before the "sh-t hits the fan."

"They don't call these elections if they don't have

to, unless there's something that they don't want people to know," he said.

Harper admitted at a news conference the shaky economy adds urgency to the situation and said the

country needs to have a government that can function during times of economic uncertainty.

Stoffer said he's ready and is looking forward to an election.

"Let's say goodbye to the Conservatives once and for all," he said.

Neither Conservative MPs for Nova Scotia — Peter MacKay for Central Nova or Gerald Keddy for South Shore-St. Margaret's — were available for comment yesterday.

"He can't claim that the House of Commons has become more dysfunctional during the time that everyone was in recess."

Elizabeth May

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They're still staying away. Three per cent fewer tourists visited the province in July as compared to last year. But ironically the number of hotel rooms jumped three per cent. **METRO HALIFAX**

Popular restaurant closes its doors after 19 years

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A popular Halifax restaurant will be serving its last meals Sunday, but not because it isn't making enough money.

After 19 years Sweet Basil, owned by Scanway Catering, will close Sept. 1. Its Lower Water Street property is eventually set to be developed by Armour Group into a nine-story retail and office building.

"We're very sad about it. A lot of people have worked there for a long time and they've been wonderful, wonderful employees," said owner Unni Simensen.

Simensen said the restaurant will not be able to continue in the new complex, even though two other affected businesses will be given space. "It's just O'Carroll's and Subway. And we've been there for 19 years and I think we've been very good tenants. So, I was very surprised and disappointed," she said.



Sweet Basil manager Sonny Berry presents yesterday's special, curried scallop penne with pear and walnuts. The popular downtown restaurant will close Sunday.

But Armour Group chairman Ben McCrea sees it differently. He said Sweet Basil was offered a spot in the new complex, just not one as large as their current facility.

"It depends on the style of restaurant she wanted to do

and the number of seats she wants," said McCrea. "It may not be adequate for what she wants to do, but it all depends on her."

With the restaurant's lease ending in the fall, Simensen decided to part ways with

the property owner.

As for staff, the chefs at Sweet Basil are planning to move to Sage, another Scanway restaurant.

Simensen said she couldn't find a location to move the restaurant to.

Heritage committee eyeing report recommendations

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HAC HRM's Heritage Advisory Committee is studying a proposal for the city to better protect historic buildings.

Clary Kempton, a member of city council's volunteer downtown planning advisory committee, submitted a 12-point heritage plan to HAC yesterday.

Among his suggestions were a complete ban on demolition permits for heritage buildings. He also said building owners should face the same rate of municipal tax, even if a property is demolished. That would take away financial incentive for demolition.

"HRM must protect its valued buildings, rather than download the respon-

sibility to developers and private citizens," Kempton wrote in a letter to the HAC. "The lack of proper safeguards for our built heritage has placed the entire stock at risk."

Bill Plaskett, Heritage Conservation district planner, said the proposal contained a lot of good ideas,

but that some of them are already coming into place.

"Some of it, we need changes in legislation for it to happen," Plaskett said.

He added issues such as keeping the tax rate on demolished buildings are linked to provincial responsibilities, over which HRM has no authority.

The HAC also noted in some cases, heritage buildings may be on the verge of collapse and the city would find greater benefit in new constructions.

"HRM must protect its valued buildings."

Clary Kempton

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Swimmers buzz off from beaches

Swimming holes dropped like flies yesterday because of the rain: Black Rock Beach and Dingle Beach, as well as Drain Lake in Lower Sackville and Morris Lake in Dartmouth, were closed to swimmers. **METRO NEWS SERVICES**



Ringo, who at 6-foot-4 and 2,200 lbs is the biggest of the Budweiser team of promotional horses, has a moment with handler Larry Manypenny. The horses will be delivering drinks to downtown bars during the lunch hour.

Horseplay and beer do mix for Budweiser

Team of Clydesdales on downtown delivery duty

JON TATTREIE
for Metro Halifax

Sixteen thousand pounds of horse will be tromping through the streets of Halifax on a beer run this morning.

The team of Clydesdales, used to promote Budweiser, will be delivering drinks to downtown bars and restaurants over the lunch hour. The giant horses, which stand about 6-foot-tall and weigh 2,000

pounds, will also be at the Bayers Lake NSLC Friday evening. The horses are mainly in town for the Keith Urban concert Saturday. Handler Larry Manypenny has been with the Clydesdales for 20 years. The big animals consume 25 quarts of grains, 60 pounds of hay and 30 gallons of water each day.

"Clydesdales are very, very low energy," he said with a laugh. "It's a very

calm, easy-going horse."

The Bud horses are all geldings (male) for the extra height and weight needed to pull the wagon. Dealing with that much horse is fraught with danger — mainly the accidental variety, Manypenny said.

"They might once in a while step on you," he said.

"They might, once in a while, step on you. It's part of the job."

Larry Manypenny

"It's part of the job."

The viewing at Exhibition Park yesterday attracted a lot of children. The beer-maker

acknowledged some people might have a problem with an iconic image of an alcoholic beverage drawing such a young crowd.

Bill Scolland, local spokesman for Budweiser, said Bud imagery is kept to a minimum.

"There's no denying there is a little bit of signage (for Bud), so if someone is overly sensitive to beer ... they can certainly choose not to be there."

Industrial rents rising

REAL ESTATE The cost of renting industrial space in HRM rose this year, and will likely go up again next year, a new survey shows. Real-estate counsellors Turner Drake & Partners conducted a survey of 282 buildings totalling more than 17 million square feet.

They found that low vacancy rates and more modern, greener buildings are the twin factors driving prices skyward.

The vacancy rate is 5.6 per cent, down from an abnormally high 9.3 per cent a year ago.

On average, rent costs \$6.77 per square foot, up 5.45 per cent.

Spaces built recently have higher ceilings and better energy efficiency, and renters will pay for it.

Rents have risen 32 per cent for buildings constructed within the last two years.

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News in brief

ROBBERY Three youths robbed an Irving gas station yesterday evening. The youths, aged between 12 and 15, entered the station on Quinpool Road and began filling their bags with snacks. When the clerk confronted them, one struck him in the face and the three ran off. The clerk suffered a minor injury.

FIREARMS Police found a loaded handgun after stopping a vehicle in the Forbes Street area yesterday evening. The four people in the vehicle — three males and

one female between the ages of 18 and 25 — were arrested and each face assorted weapons charges.

NATURE Environment Minister Mark Parent will be in Truro today as part of a province-wide tour to discuss green power. Parent is touring Nova Scotia to speak with community leaders about the importance of a green economy. Parent will be at the Best Western Glengarry Hotel in Truro from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. For more information call 893-0140.

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Hundreds of people gathered in downtown Montreal yesterday to protest government cuts to arts and culture programs. Artists, singers, actors, writers and politicians spoke out against some \$48.5 million in funding cuts announced by the Conservative government earlier this summer. **REUTERS**

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Crane derails train

Six people injured, in Calgary hospital

NEIL MACKINNON
Metro Canada

A collision between a stationary crane and a south-bound Calgary C-Train sent six people to hospital with minor injuries, including a child.

The crane's boom cracked the cap of the train right down the centre yesterday derailing it while smashing the windshield onto the driver, who was later removed from the train on a spinal board as a precautionary measure, said Calgary EMS' Stuart Brideaux.

Sebastien Garipey, 27, felt a massive jolt that popped him up off his seat as the passengers screamed and he went to the driver's cab, pulling



A miscommunication appears to have caused a mobile crane to hit a light rail transit train in northwest Calgary yesterday, injuring six people and snarling traffic in the area.

what was left of the windshield off the unconscious man. "I'm still shaking a little bit from it, it was quite the experience."

Calgary police blamed miscommunication for the crash.

The crane company said they would conduct their own investigation into the reason for the crash.

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It's official: Obama is Democratic nominee

To shouts of "Yes we can," Democrats nominated Barack Obama yesterday as their presidential candidate, a historic first for a black American.

Former President Bill Clinton, who has been slow to warm to Obama after his wife's loss in a bruising primary battle, gave Obama his approval in his address to the Democratic convention. "My fellow Democrats, I say to you: Barack Obama is ready to lead America and to restore American leadership in the world," Clinton said.

Earlier, in an emotional moment of unity, Sen.

Hillary Clinton strode onto the floor of the party's national convention during a roll call of the states and formally asked Democratic delegates to suspend their count and approve Obama's nomination by acclamation.

"With eyes firmly fixed on the future, in the spirit of unity ... let's declare together in one voice right here, right now, that Barack Obama is our candidate and he will be our president," she said.

Her request was quickly accepted by the presiding official, House of Representatives Speaker Nancy Pelosi of California.

"Obama is our candidate, and he will be our president."

Sen. Hillary Clinton

When Pelosi pounded a gavel to declare Obama the nominee, delegates held hands together up high, danced and swayed to the song Love Train.

Obama's running mate, Sen. Joe Biden, formally accepted the vice-presidential nomination later in the evening, and hailed Obama as a wise leader who will steer the country out of the Iraq war. **REUTERS**

Gustav kills 23 in Haiti, Dominican

Concern mounting in New Orleans

HAITI Tropical Storm Gustav left Haiti and the Dominican Republic yesterday after killing 23 people, and threatened to head for New Orleans and Gulf of Mexico oil fields. Gustav was projected to hit the U.S. coast around Monday. New Orleans is on alert, and evacuations could begin as early as Friday. The storm lingered for a day near Haiti, where heavy rains often cause disastrous mudslides. Gustav's rains, predicted to total up to 62 cm in some areas, killed at least eight people in the Dominican Republic and 15 in Haiti, officials said. Among the dead in Haiti were at least three killed in a mudslide and another person hit by a falling tree. **REUTERS**

Thailand Royalist protests



A member of the People's Alliance for Democracy waves a Thai flag at the Prime Minister's compound in Bangkok yesterday. Thousands of royalist protesters stormed the compound, calling for the demise of the elected government.

Maple Leaf takes blame for Listeriosis outbreak

HEALTH Maple Leaf Foods Inc.'s chief executive said yesterday his company was fully accountable for an outbreak of listeriosis food poisoning, which has been linked to the deaths of 15 people in Canada.

Michael McCain said food regulators or regulations were not to blame for the outbreak, saying there were "excellent" systems and processes in place.

"The buck stops right here," he said.

"We have excellent systems and process in place but this week it's our best efforts that failed — not the regulators, not the Canadian food safety system," he said.

Samples of two Maple Leaf deli meats tested positive for the same strain of listeria bacteria that has



Michael McCain

made dozens of Canadians sick, including 15 people who have since died. The company, which faces a series of class action suits, has recalled all products made at the plant as a precaution. **REUTERS**

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Election appears inevitable

CANCELLED TRIP Prime Minister Stephen Harper gave fresh signs yesterday of triggering a general election soon.

Governor General Michaëlle Jean, who would formally be responsible for any election call, was asked to cancel her trip to China to represent Canada

on Sept. 6 at the Paralympic Games in Beijing. "It is recommended that it is prudent for the governor-general to be in the country given the current political climate," Harper's press secretary said.

The soonest a general election could be held is Oct. 14. **REUTERS**

News in brief

RUSSIA - President Dmitry Medvedev looked east Thursday for support for Moscow's tough line over Georgia, which has inflamed relations with the West and prompted talk of a new Cold War. The Kremlin leader flew to Tajikistan for a summit of a regional security forum with China and four Central Asian states. **REUTERS**

INDIA The Dalai Lama, the exiled Tibetan spiritual leader, cancelled two foreign trips to rest and undergo medical tests, his aide said yesterday. The Nobel Peace Prize winner returned to Dharamsala, the north Indian town where he lives, on Sunday after a visit to France, during which he criticized Chinese policies in Tibet. **REUTERS**

Dead Sea Scrolls are going digital

ISRAEL Scientists are taking digital photographs of the Dead Sea Scrolls, the oldest known copies of the Hebrew bible, with the aim of making the 2,000-year-old documents available online. The project will take more than two years to complete, authorities said. **REUTERS**

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German industry fears anti-Russia backlash by West

Industry groups in Germany warned that the diplomatic showdown between Russia and the West could damage business relations. About 4,600 German firms are in Russia, making their economic relationship among the closest in the world. **REUTERS**

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Business

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Bring 'blue gold' to market: Think-tank

A Montreal think-tank says it's urgent for Canada to dip its toe in the water exporting business for financial gain — but some folks aren't too sure about watching our water go down the drain.

Large-scale exporting of 10 per cent of Quebec's water, for example, could generate \$6.5 billion each year, said the independent, non-profit Montreal Economic Institute in a report.

The paper, which calls water "blue gold", proposes that the Quebec provincial and federal govern-

ment set out a regulatory framework for the trade in water, as well as a "realistic" fee structure that would give users incentives to use the resource responsibly and encourage the businesses involved to ensure a stable supply.

But the Council of Canadians is adamantly opposed to the practice of selling the nation's water, and says it's actually not as plentiful as people think.

"We know there's pressure from the U.S. to export Canada's water," the group said. **TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE**

CIBC reports \$71-million profit despite mortgage writedowns

TORONTO CIBC shares climbed \$60.10, up 5.33 per cent in Toronto, after the bank reported lower than expected charges on credit investments and profits of \$71 million, or 11 cents a share, in its third quarter. Third-quarter 2007 profit

was \$835 million.

The 91 per cent drop in third-quarter profit came from a stinging \$885 million loss on structured credit investments and hedges related to the U.S. mortgage market. **REUTERS**

THE DAILY BUSINESS BUZZ

Ferry deadline pushed back: Halifax pushed back its deadline to Sept. 24 for expressions of interest from shipbuilding firms to design and produce at least two fast ferries. Firms said they needed more time to form partnerships in order to handle the design and build requirements of the tender.

Nova Scotia tourism up: Tourism numbers in Central Nova Scotia were up this summer, with many hotels, motels

and inns reporting higher than average visitor volume through July and August. Some said despite this, the region must step up efforts to make the sector more competitive.

MorSwift Banding visit: Provincial Economic Development Minister Angus MacIsaac visited MorSwift Banding to see for himself the MorSwift manufactures a machine that would band lobster claws.

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Business in brief

INVESTIGATION New York's Attorney General is looking into whether discount brokerage Fidelity Securities used Goldman Sachs services as an incentive to sell the Goldman-underwritten auction-rate securities to clients.

OIL The price of oil rose yesterday on forecasts that Tropical Storm Gustav will intensify into a hurricane and perhaps shut in 85 per cent of U.S. oil and natural gas platforms in the Gulf of Mexico. U.S. inventory also showed a drop this week.

ABCP Both sides involved in the dispute over a \$30-million restructuring plan for asset-based commercial paper (ABCP) asked the Canadian Supreme Court to make swift decisions on any hearings it might hold if appeals occur.

ALASKAN PIPELINE TransCanada Corp. was awarded a license to build and operate a \$26-billion pipeline to ship natural gas from the North Slope. It would carry about 4 billion cubic feet of natural gas a day starting in 2018. **REUTERS**

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Economy changes diets

Cash-strapped U.S. consumers could be turning their backs on two of the biggest trends in the food business — organic and convenience — in order to save money.

Food industry executives and analysts interviewed in the past week pointed to those two categories as among the most vulnerable to consumers trying to stretch food budgets. While cash-strapped consumers

"When the \$75 doesn't buy what it used to buy, you change what you buy."

Bob Goldin

may be eating more at home, they are also cutting out some of the little time-saving or health-conscious luxuries to which they had grown accustomed.

These changes could be a boon to companies such as Kraft Foods Inc., General

Mills Inc. and J.M. Smucker Co., whose products are seen as building blocks to home-made lunches and dinners.

But forays by food producers such as Chiquita Brands International Inc. and by supermarket chains

such as Whole Foods Market Inc. and Safeway Inc. to sell pre-cut packages of fresh fruits and vegetables or prepared meals at a premium could be among the casualties.

"When the \$75 doesn't buy what it used to buy, you change what you buy," said Bob Goldin, executive vice president at food and restaurant industry consulting firm Technomic.

REUTERS

Petro-Can works to resolve gas shortages

WESTERN CANADA Petro-Canada has restarted a key processing unit at its Edmonton, Alberta, refinery, but will keep alternative gasoline supply arrangements in place to help relieve shortages, it said yesterday.

Petro-Canada said its customers in Alberta and British Columbia — where as many as 90 gas stations have run out of fuel in the past three weeks — would likely see supply improvements by this weekend.

The catalytic cracker at the 135,000-barrel-per-day refinery suffered an unplanned outage on Aug. 3, just as the rest of the plant was shutting down for a major 60-day turnaround.

"Right now, it's producing gasoline and we'll continue to use standard

"We're certainly not out of the woods — it's not business as usual."

Jon Hamilton

ramp-up practices to move forward on production," Petro-Canada spokesman Jon Hamilton said.

"We're certainly not out of the woods — it's not business as usual."

Petro-Canada had planned on the catalytic cracker producing gasoline while the rest of the refinery was switched over to new equipment as part of a \$2.5-billion project that will result in the plant processing oil sands-derived crude exclusively.

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PIPELINE Enbridge Inc. said yesterday it began construction on the Canadian portion of the \$3-billion Alberta Clipper expansion project that, when up to full capacity, will enable it to ship up to 800,000 barrels a day of crude oil. The company said construction began on the Alberta and Saskatchewan portions of the 1,607-kilometre pipeline.

ACQUISITION Copier and printer maker Ricoh Co. Ltd.

will acquire U.S. office equipment distributor Ikon Office Solutions for \$1.62 billion US, in what could be a blow to rival Canon Inc in the key U.S. market.

MINING Vale Inco has fallen further behind schedule in its efforts to begin installation of a waste pipe at its massive Goro project in New Caledonia, but a company official said the mine is still on budget and on target.

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Chiefs release kicker Feely

The Chiefs have released kicker Jay Feely, right, ending his stint with Kansas City after only two days of practice. Feely was released by the Miami Dolphins earlier this month after losing his job to rookie free agent Dan Carpenter. **METRO NEWS SERVICES**

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Sports



Merriman to play despite injury

Linebacker Shawne Merriman, left, told the San Diego Chargers yesterday that he has elected not to undergo surgery on his injured left knee, and instead will try to play this season despite reportedly having two torn ligaments. According to a story in the San Diego Union-Tribune yesterday, Merriman faces the possibility of career-threatening injury if he tries to play without surgery. **METRO NEWS SERVICES**

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Purcey loses pitching duel

Blue Jays rookie starter strikes out 11, but gets no offensive support

Rays 1 Blue Jays 0

It's been a while now since the Blue Jays could say they had Matt Garza's number.

But for one fastball last night, the Tampa Bay Rays still don't have any idea how to reach David Purcey.

Purcey, making only his eighth career start, upped his strikeout high by three when he whiffed 11 Rays over a sterling eight innings.

His one mistake, though, was that aforementioned fastball, which Carlos Pena drilled about 420 feet for the game's only run.

It marked the Jays' fifth 1-0 decision of the season — third lost — and dropped them back to 12½ games behind the East's front-running Rays.

Falling to 2-5, Purcey also went a career-high eight frames, checking the Rays on four singles besides the Pena homer.

Garza, acquired in a November trade that sent Delmon Young to Minnesota, gave up six hits over 7½ and improved to 11-7 — 3-1 against Toronto.

Purcey had matched Garza goose egg for goose egg until his first pitch of the fourth. Pena whacked that one a long way into the seats in right, his team-leading 27th.

Purcey said the pitch "was down and away but it leaked back over the plate a little bit. He did a good job of hitting it."

Purcey, whose previous strikeout high had been



Toronto Blue Jays starter David Purcey allowed only five hits one run over eight innings, while striking out 11, but took the loss as the Tampa Bay Rays defeated the Jays 1-0 last night.

the eight against the Tigers three starts back, struck out two in each of the first, second and third innings; all three Rays following the Pena homer in the fourth and the leadoff man in the fifth.

The 26-year-old has 476 strikeouts in 468 minor-league innings in his career. The Jays' first-round

pick in the 2004 draft went 8-6 with a 2.69 ERA in 19 starts for Syracuse this season.

Pitching coach Brad Arnsberg liked what he saw of Purcey. "He worked ahead, he was dominating at times, he beat hitters up, he mixed his pitches, he didn't get predictable. He just pitched."

Against Garza, the Jays only got two runners as far as second — one in the third on Joe Inglett's two-out double into the right corner; again in the eighth, when Alex Rios and Vernon Wells worked back-to-back, two-out walks.

That was it for Garza and, when Grant Balfour

came on to fan Adam Lind, that was pretty much it for the Jays. Dan Wheeler, on for the ninth in the absence of Tampa's injured closer, Troy Percival, set down the Jays 1-2-3 for his ninth save.

The final out was a loud one — a catch near the top of the fence in left by Justin Ruggiano on a drive by Rod Barajas. Ruggiano had just been shifted from right to left to start the inning.

Ruggiano made a big play in the first inning, too, when he chased down a Rios drive headed for the gap in right-centre that would have cashed Inglett's leadoff single.

In four outings against the Jays this season, Garza is 3-1 and has given up only one run in 30 innings — and that one run was 23 innings ago.

It was more than two years ago that the Jays first bumped into Garza. He was still a Minnesota Twin then and, in his major-league debut, Aug. 11, 2006, Jays mauled him for seven runs on eight hits over just 2½.

The Jays didn't run into him again until this year. Back on May 7 in Toronto, he and Shaun Marcum had a 0-0 duel going through six and Garza called it a night after Jays nicked him for a run in the seventh.

Then, over a stretch of 11 days in July, he became only the fourth pitcher, ever, to beat Roy Halladay twice in the same season.

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Red Sox add Kotsay from Braves

MLB The Boston Red Sox bolstered their outfield yesterday by landing veteran Mark Kotsay from the Atlanta Braves in exchange for minor league outfielder Luis Sumoza.

Just a day after sending outfielder J.D. Drew to the disabled list with a back strain, the Red Sox picked up another left-handed bat for the stretch run. The 32-year-old Kotsay was hitting .289 with six home runs and 37 RBI in 88 games with Atlanta this season.

The 20-year-old Sumoza hit .301 with 11 home runs, 15 doubles and 38 RBI in 51 games with the Lowell Spinners of the Single-A New York-Penn League. A native of Maracaibo, Venezuela, Sumoza will join the Single-A Rome Braves.

Bucs trade end to Ravens for picks

NFL The Tampa Bay Buccaneers traded defensive end Marques Douglas to the Baltimore Ravens yesterday in exchange for undisclosed draft picks.

Tampa signed Douglas as a free agent on March 18.

A nine-year veteran who spent the last three seasons with the 49ers, Douglas had three sacks and 71 tackles in 16 starts for San Francisco in 2007. The 6-foot-2, 292-pounder has 19 career sacks.

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Douglas

Argos add defensive coach

CFL The Argos have hired Mike Walker, a terror on the D-line for Hamilton in the '80s, as a defensive consultant. Walker will be with Toronto for the rest of the season, coaching the down lineman, trying to recreate them in his own image.

For those who remember the three-time CFL all-star, that means becoming a little nastier and a whole lot more aggressive.

"We're going to work on attacking the line of scrimmage better," said Walker, who spent the last 11 years

as the defensive line coach at Washington State University.

"I think the attack mode could be a little bit better. They're already good but they could be 10 times better I think. That's my objective."

The Argos have shown themselves to be very vulnerable to offences running double tight ends.

"We've got to figure out how to stop the run game and the two tight ends," said head coach Rich Stabler. **TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE**

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Golden State Warriors guard Monta Ellis, left, underwent successful surgery yesterday to repair a torn deltoid ligament in his left ankle and will be sidelined a minimum of three-plus months. Ellis suffered a Grade 3 high ankle sprain last Thursday. **METRO NEWS SERVICES**

Ellis out for at least three months

Top seeds gut out wins

Second seed Jelena Jankovic and former champion Svetlana Kuznetsova had to work much harder than expected to shake off their opponents in the second round of the U.S. Open yesterday.

Serb Jankovic squandered a match point in the second set before scraping past Swede Sofia Arvidsson 6-3, 6-7, 7-5 and Russian Kuznetsova overcame a slow start to beat Romanian teenager Sorana Cirstea 7-6, 6-1.

Olympic champion Elena

Dementieva, however, had no complaints about not playing to her potential after completing a 6-2, 6-1 demolition of Pauline Parmentier of France.

Eighth-seeded Vera Zvonareva became the latest casualty at the final grand slam event of the year, losing 6-3, 6-3 to Tatiana Perebiynis of Ukraine.

Serbian third seed Novak Djokovic survived an injury scare before beating Frenchman Arnaud Clement 6-3, 6-3, 6-4 in the first round of the men's event.

Fifth-seeded Russian Nikolay Davydenko made even smoother progress, charging into the second round with a comfortable 6-3, 6-3, 6-3 win over Israel's Dudi Sela.

Lindsay Davenport needed to rely on her greater wealth of experience to steer past Russian teenager Alisa Kleybanova 7-5, 6-3 in the second round.

Davenport, champion in 1998, struggled to find her range in the opening match of the night session but capitalized on 27 unforced er-

rors from Kleybanova to seal victory.

"I didn't play quite as well as I did the other day (in the first round). Didn't find my rhythm but sometimes you just have to get through these matches," said the 32-year-old.

Former world No. 1 Andy Roddick roared past grand slam veteran Fabrice Santoro of France 6-2, 6-2, 6-2.

Frank Dancevic of Niagara Falls, Ont., lost to 18th-seeded Nicolas Pietrangeli of Spain 6-3, 6-4, 7-5.



Jelena Jankovic of Serbia defeated Sofia Arvidsson of Sweden 6-3, 6-7, 7-5 to advance to the third round at the U.S. Open tennis tournament in Flushing Meadows, N.Y., yesterday.

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Jaguars' Harvey ends holdout

Defensive end Derrick Harvey, right, ended his 33-day holdout yesterday, and has agreed to a deal with the Jacksonville Jaguars that could reportedly be worth more than \$33 million US. Harvey was the last rookie holdout in the NFL. **METRO NEWS SERVICES**

**Vlasic gets 4-year contract extension**

NHL The San Jose Sharks signed defenceman Marc-Edouard Vlasic to a four-year contract extension, the team announced yesterday.

Vlasic, 21, played in all 82 games for the Sharks last season, notching two goals and 12 assists in his second year with the club. Vlasic was named to the All-Rookie team in 2006-07.

METRO NEWS SERVICES**Sakic signs one-year deal with Avalanche**

NHL Joe Sakic has decided to play at least one more season and yesterday re-signed with the Colorado Avalanche.

Sakic had been deliberating about whether to return for a 20th NHL season. He has inked a one-year deal, financial terms of which weren't disclosed.

"Ultimately it came down to the fact that I still enjoy playing and competing," said Sakic in a release by the club. "I'm comfortable with my conditioning and my

overall health. I'm ready for the start of camp and am looking forward to the upcoming season."

Sakic played in just 44 games last season because of groin problems and subsequent hernia surgery. He posted career lows with 13 goals and 40 points.

The 39-year-old has spent his entire career with the Colorado franchise. He was drafted in 1987 by the Quebec Nordiques and made his NHL debut in 1988.

METRO NEWS SERVICES**SCOREBOARD****MLB****AMERICAN LEAGUE****EAST DIVISION**

	W	L	PCT	GB
Tampa Bay	80	51	.611	—
Boston	77	55	.583	3½
N.Y. Yankees	70	62	.530	10½
Toronto	68	64	.515	12½
Baltimore	63	70	.474	18

CENTRAL DIVISION

	W	L	PCT	GB
Chicago Cubs	83	50	.624	—
Milwaukee	77	56	.579	6
St. Louis	74	60	.552	9½
Houston	67	66	.504	16
Cincinnati	58	75	.436	25
Pittsburgh	57	76	.429	26

WEST DIVISION

	W	L	PCT	GB
Arizona	68	65	.511	—
L.A. Dodgers	65	68	.489	3
Colorado	63	71	.470	5½
San Francisco	58	74	.439	9½
San Diego	51	82	.383	17

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

Tampa Bay 1 Toronto 0	Baltimore 11 Chicago White Sox 3
Boston 11 N.Y. Yankees 3	Cleveland 9 Detroit 7
Minnesota 6 Seattle 5	Texas 3 Kansas City 2
Oakland at L.A. Angels	

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	PCT	GB
N.Y. Mets	74	60	.552	—
Philadelphia	73	60	.549	½
Florida	68	65	.511	5½
Atlanta	58	75	.436	15½
Washington	48	85	.361	25½

CENTRAL DIVISION

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AL BATTING LEADERS

Name	team	AB	R	H	AVG
Bradley Tex		346	69	112	.324
Kinsler Tex		518	102	165	.319
Yokulits Bos		458	80	146	.319
Mauer Min		422	81	134	.318
Pedroia Bos		540	98	170	.315
Damon NYY		447	78	140	.313
Polanco Det		484	74	151	.312
Suzuki Sea		555	83	172	.310
Rodriguez NYY		412	85	127	.308
Morneau Min		498	78	153	.307
Ordonez Det		449	55	138	.307

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Name	team	AB	R	H	AVG
Jones Atl		375	69	134	.357
Pujols STL		424	80	151	.356
Holliday Col		455	95	155	.341

MLB

	W	L	PCT	GB
Berkman Hou	461	99	152	.330
Theriot Chic	484	71	152	.314
Lee Hou	436	61	137	.314
Winn SF	474	72	147	.310
Schumaker STL	450	78	139	.309
Molina STL	401	34	124	.309
Hudson Ariz	407	54	124	.305

CFL

	W	L	T	PTS
Montreal	5	3	0	10
Toronto	3	5	0	6
Hamilton	2	6	0	4
Winnipeg	2	6	0	4

WEST DIVISION

	W	L	T	PTS
Saskatchewan	6	2	0	12
Calgary	5	3	0	10
Edmonton	5	3	0	10
B.C.	4	4	0	8

WEEK 10

	W	L	T	PTS
Saskatchewan	6	2	0	12
Calgary	5	3	0	10
Edmonton	5	3	0	10
B.C.	4	4	0	8

TOMORROW'S GAME

	W	L	T	PTS
B.C. at Montreal, 8:30				
Winnipeg at Saskatchewan, 4				

MONDAY'S GAMES

	W	L	T	PTS
Edmonton at Calgary, 5				
Toronto at Hamilton, 8:30				

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Truro's Brian Blaauwendraat is closing in on Parts Canada Superbike's rookie-of-the-year award. He has a three-point edge on Alex Welsh of Uxbridge, Ont., heading into this weekend's final round in Shannonville, Ont. **METRO HALIFAX**

Canoeing Medal-winner Hall struts his stuff



Canoeist Thomas Hall paddles on Lake Banook after competing in the heats for the 2008 Sprint Canoe National Championships yesterday. Hall picked up a bronze medal at the Beijing Olympics.

Sports in brief

HOCKEY The Dartmouth Subways will host a Nova Scotia Major Midget Hockey League early-bird tournament this weekend at the Dartmouth Sportsplex. Action begins Saturday at noon, with the Subways facing the South

Shore Mustangs.

GOLF Dartmouth's Jean Boudreau is the top Nova Scotian at the Royale Canadian senior women's golf championship in St. John's, N.L., sitting 32nd overall.

BOXING Sackville's Joey Laviolette and Halifax's Craig Hillier are scheduled to leave today for Camp Lejeune in North Carolina for a three-day invitational boxing tournament hosted by the U.S. Marine Corps.

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Jobs to be had at Moose camp

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The battle for jobs will be as fierce as it's been in years at the Halifax Mooseheads' training camp this weekend.

As many as a dozen jobs could be up for grabs in a rebuilding year that follows last season's unsuccessful run at a Quebec Major Junior Hockey League championship.

That pales in comparison to the past two seasons, when barely a handful of jobs were available. Rookies reporting to camp actually have a glimmer of hope this time around.

"Most of our returning players are pretty secure in their jobs, but for the younger kids coming in, it will be a challenge to outplay the other younger guys coming to camp," Mooseheads general manager Marcel Patenaude said. "There are definitely a number of open spots for them to win. It will be interesting."

Seven of the team's top nine scorers from last season are not expected back, assuming all-star Jakub Voracek makes the Columbus Blue Jackets as expected.

Goaltender Mark Yetman will be the foundation of the team, which will be a good thing if he picks up where he left off last season with a sizzling-hot second half.

The Mooseheads should have a capable cast of forwards, with returnees Logan MacMillan, Tomas Knotek and Yuri Cheremetiev expected to be among the go-to offensive producers.

If Andrew White wins one of three 20-year-old ro-



Yuri Cheremetiev is going to be counted on to be one of the Mooseheads stars on offence next season.

Mooseheads' training camp schedule.

At Cole Harbour Place

• **TODAY**
Team barbecue, 6 p.m.

• **TOMORROW**
Team A practice, 11 a.m.
Team B practice, 12:30 p.m.
Intra-squad game, 7 p.m.

• **SATURDAY**
Team A practice, 9 a.m.

Team B practice, 11 a.m.
Intra-squad game, 7 p.m.

• **SUNDAY**
Halifax at Cape Breton, 4 p.m.
• **MONDAY**
Cape Breton at Halifax, 7 p.m.
(Halifax Forum)

METRO HALIFAX

ter spots, the speedy winger would also be relied upon for scoring.

Ben MacAskill, 19, and Gabriel O'Connor, 18, will be joined by at least one of two 20-year-old blue-liners coming to training camp looking for work, Graham Bona and Justin Pender.

All of them are going to get a significant ice time boost.

"Any returning player could show great improvement," Patenaude said. "You can count our returnees on 10 fingers and we expect all of them to blossom in bigger roles. We're expecting them to showcase that at

training camp."

Forwards Gabriel Desjardins, Alex Lemieux and Jessyko Bernard were drafted early in June's draft and could step right in, while management is eager to see what late-round blue-line picks Ryan Matheson and Alex MacDonald have to offer.

Free agents such as Halifax Wolverines captain Jeff Marchand — Brad's younger brother — will also look to turn heads.

Camp opens today with registration and a team barbecue. The players hit the ice tomorrow at Cole Harbour Place.

Russell hopes to build on Beijing

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Andrew Russell believes an Olympic medal is within reach.

The Dartmouth native returned home this week, where he made his Olympic debut and enjoyed his career highlight with a fifth-place finish in the C-2 500 metres.

He and C-2 partner Gabriel Beauchesne-Sevigny are competing at this week's Canadian canoe-kayak championships on

Lake Banook after gaining valuable experience in China.

"In order to get a medal, you just have to be faster," the 25-year-old Russell said. "There are some technical changes we can still make and we're getting better each race."

"We're starting to think we can be one of the premiere crews in the world. I believe (a medal) is within reach."

Russell, who took in the gold-medal basketball game before leaving Beijing, plans to continue rac-

ing with Beauchesne-Sevigny, a close friend, over the next four years. Russell said they have learned important lessons as they work toward the 2012 Games in London.

"You can't compare yourself to other crews when you're racing," he said. "You have to attack and race your own race plan and don't be afraid to lay it all out there. That's what we did (in the C-2 500). We beat crews we'd never beaten before."

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Food

"Rapini can be sautéed, braised, steamed, stir-fried or microwaved."

Barb Holland/for Metro Canada

**Cooking**

Rapini needs only two to six minutes of cooking. Don't overcook — you want crisp, green rapini.

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Cabbage's curly, cute cousin**À la carte**

Barb Holland

Metro Food Writer

I was introduced to rapini by cookbook author and colleague Emily Richards, best known as one of the hosts of Canadian Living Cooks, on the Food Network. Emily was demonstrating a recipe from her cookbook, *Italian Express* (HarperCollins Publishers). She blanched a bunch of rapini, then chopped it and added it to a frittata. I was hooked on its bitter and mustardy flavour. Also known as

broccoli rabe, broccoli raab or broccoli di rape, this vegetable does look a little like broccoli with its edible stems, dark green leaves and small bud clusters. Much loved by the Italians, it is a member of the cabbage family, hence the somewhat pungent flavour. After blanching, it is often sautéed in olive oil with garlic, or tossed with pasta such as this recipe.

Rapini with Pasta and Tomatoes

You can shortcut the big pot of boiling water by cooking rapini quickly in the microwave. If you can find cans of cherry tomatoes, stock up on them; their sweetness help to balance the rapini a bit.

Serve with crusty bread. Makes 4 servings.

INGREDIENTS:

- 8 oz (250 g) penne or rotini pasta, about 3 cups (750 mL)
- 1 bunch rapini
- 2 tbsp (30 mL) olive oil
- 1 onion, chopped
- 1 clove garlic, minced
- 14 oz (398 mL) can cherry tomatoes or a 19 oz (540 mL) can chunky pasta tomatoes
- ½ tsp (2 mL) red pepper flakes, optional
- ½ cup (125 mL) freshly grated Parmesan cheese, more to pass at table
- Salt and pepper

METHOD:

In a large pot of boiling, salted water, cook pasta until al dente. Drain and return pasta to pot



Rapini does look a little like broccoli with its edible stems, dark green leaves and small bud clusters.

to keep warm.

Meanwhile, rinse rapini and trim 1-inch (2.5 cm) off stem ends (compost). Chop rapini into 1-inch (2.5 cm) lengths. Place in a large microwave bowl, add ¼ cup (60 mL) water, cover and microwave five to six minutes, or until bright green and still quite crisp (don't overcook). Stir during

cooking. Drain well. (Alternatively blanch the rapini in the pasta water before cooking pasta. After adding rapini, bring back to a boil, then scoop rapini out and drain. Cook pasta.) In a large skillet, heat oil over medium heat. Add onion and garlic and sauté a few minutes to soften. Add tomatoes (with liquid) and red pepper flakes. Cook until mixture comes to a boil, reduce heat and simmer a few minutes. Stir in rapini and cook until heated through. Toss with pasta and cheese. Season to taste with salt and pepper and pass additional cheese.

Barb Holland is a professional home economist and food writer who believes in shopping locally and in season.

Beautiful eats by the beach

Shutters on the Beach in Santa Monica, Calif., is an iconic, luxury seaside resort that is often frequented by the Hollywood elite. In her new cookbook, *The Summertime Anytime Cookbook: Recipes from Shutters on the Beach* (Clarkson Potter), co-owner Dana Slatkin uses her years of experience to bring secrets from the famed hotel into every home. Metro got a hold of this 'meaty' recipe:



The Summertime Anytime Cookbook, hardcover, is available at Amazon.ca for \$23.91.

Shutters Vegetarian Burger

Many restaurants appease their vegetarian guests by slapping a frozen vegetable patty on the grill and serving it up burger-style. Not at our boardwalk café. This burger deserves an extra-large whole grain or sprouted-wheat bun.

INGREDIENTS:

- ¼ cup barbecue sauce
- 2 tbsp. soy sauce
- 1 tbsp. of hoisin sauce
- 1 tbsp. molasses
- 1 (15-ounce) can black beans, drained
- 2 cups cooked brown rice
- 1 tbsp. oat bran or wheat germ
- 2 tbsp. finely chopped onions

- 1 tbsp. minced garlic
- 2 tbsp. finely chopped cooked beets (fresh or canned)
- 1 tbsp. minced jalapeno pepper, seeded
- 2 tsp. extra-virgin olive oil, plus additional for cooking
- ½ tsp. ground cumin
- ½ tsp. chile powder
- Kosher salt and freshly ground pepper
- 1 large egg white, beaten
- 6 slices of monterey jack or sharp cheddar cheese

METHOD:

In a small container, stir together the barbecue sauce, soy sauce, hoisin sauce and molasses.

In a large bowl, mash the beans with a fork. Stir in 3 tablespoons of the barbecue sauce mixture along

with the rice, oat bran, onion, garlic, beets, pepper, oil, cumin, and chile powder. Season to taste with salt and pepper before adding the egg white. Form into six patties, each about an inch thick. Brush the burgers with the remaining barbecue sauce mixture.

Heat a heavy skillet over medium-high heat and add a thin film of oil. Cook the patties until they are well charred on each side, about four minutes per side, being careful when flipping them as they fall apart easily. Top them with the cheese and cook until the cheese is melted, about two minutes. Transfer the burgers to serving plates.

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Style



Club Monaco's chic new petal pushers

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Preppy is back

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Vancouver's Kim Elbo has a passion for fashion. Here she shares the latest style tips.

preppy knits

The preppy look is back in sweaters. Short sleeve sweaters adorned with bows, crescents and stripes are what you'll be seeing in stores this fall. Look out for prep sweaters in the not so usual colours of pink, blue and purple. Try the look with a blazer or a tailored skirt then complete it with a pair of mary jane shoes, like the Lizza shoe in black or gunmetal by Coach.

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Borrowing for the big screen

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Entertainment

**Slipped disc**

Perez Hilton is reporting Keith Urban has slipped a disc in his back, but it hasn't stopped him from performing. He headlines the Country Rocks concert at Halifax Common Saturday.

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Fest brings director full circle

Melski's *Growing Op* to premiere at Atlantic Film Festival

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His first short film premiered at the Atlantic Film Festival 10 years ago and now Michael Melski's first full-length will premiere at the 28th annual event.

"I was thrilled, the festival has nurtured me through all the films I have made," said the director, whose movie, *Growing Op*, is the Atlantic Gala selection.

"It's a nice arc to my career that the film gets one of the premiere spots of the opening weekend of the festival," Melski said.

His story of a home-schooled teenager with hippy, pot growing parents will premiere on the second night of the festival, which runs Sept. 11 through 20. It stars Steven Yaffe, Rosanna Arquette and Alberta Watson.

The decision to screen *Growing Op* was among the announcements made



Michael Melski's *Growing Op* will be screened as the Atlantic Gala during the 28th annual Atlantic Film Festival.

yesterday by the film festival as it unveiled the line-up of 254 movies, shorts, documentaries and animated films.

"Strong East Coast roots have helped create a unique environment at the Atlantic Film Festival," said executive director

Gregor Ash. "It's large enough to attract top industry players and global media, yet intimate enough to be innovative

and flexible to the changing needs of our audiences."

Opening this year's festival is *Blindness*, starring

more info

- For a complete list of films, visit atlanticfilm.com. Tickets are available through Ticketpro, at the festival box office on South Park St. and at Video Difference on Quinpool Rd.

Julianne Moore, Mark Ruffalo and Gael Garcia Bernal.

It opened the Cannes Film Festival earlier this year and is directed by Fernando Meirelles.

Other highlights include Atom Egoyan's *Adoration* One Week starring Joshua Jackson and Surveillance, which is directed by David Lynch's daughter, Jennifer Chambers Lynch.

Closing the festival will be *Summerhood*, by Halifax filmmaker Jacob Medjuck. The summer camp comedy is set to an '80s soundtrack and is voiceovered by John Cusack.

Atlantic Film Festival highlights

- PARTIES:** The festival will open with a red carpet gala on Argyle St. featuring Justin Nozuka and El Viento Flamenco. There will be a closing night party at the Marquee Club;
- ATLANTIC FEATURES:** The line-up includes a profile of comedian Irwin Barker called *That's My Time* and short films by Jason Eisener, Jay Dahl, and Cory Bowles;
- CANADIAN:** Films include the darkly comic Cadavers and punk rock documentary *Died Young*.

Stayed Pretty;

- INTERNATIONAL:** There will be screenings of Borat director Larry Charles' *Religulous*, Kevin Smith's *Zac and Miri Make a Porno*;
- THE LATE SHIFT:** Bruce La Bruce's *Otto*, or: *Up with Dead People* will open the late night film series. Other films being shown include the Spanish film *[Rec]* and the sexy-horror *Donkey Punch*;
- THAT'S SO GAY:** The GLBT series will include screenings of the daydream-filled *Were*

the World Mine, the Tel Aviv-set *Antarctica* and the bittersweet *Bi the Way*;

- VIEWFINDERS:** Youth features include *Asterix at the Olympic Games*, the Frisbee-filled *Finn on the Fly* and documentary *Frontrunners*;
- MUSIC:** Among the presentations is the documentary *Patti Smith: Dream of Life*, the return of the 10 x 10 Music Video program and a presentation by Sire Records founder Seymour Stein.

METRO HALIFAX**In brief**

TICKETS Single tickets for Eastern Front Theatre's 2008-2009 season are now on sale at the Alderney Landing box office and ticketpro.ca.

CBC Choral Concert, a new CBC Radio 2 show, will be produced in Halifax and hosted by locally based composer and musician Peter Togni. It will begin airing on Sundays.

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Downey Jr. joins Master Mind

Robert Downey Jr. is in talks to voice a character in Master Mind, DreamWorks Animation's send-up of the superhero genre. EW.COM

Verve near perfect

The Verve

Album: Forth
Label: Parlophone/EMI
Rating: @@@@

THE VERVE RETURNS after a decade away with a near-perfect album of passive-aggressive Brit rock. The synth hook on Love Is Noise is clever enough to make some waves on the pop charts, but not quite strong enough to break The Verve free of the radio bondage of its signature hit, Bitter Sweet Symphony. But that's OK. The last thing we want is for The Verve to morph into another Coldplay. Try looking a little deeper into the crystal clear confusion of Forth's seven-minute closing track, Appalachian Springs. The strength of this record is its battle between anthemic pop-rock (Love Is Noise, Sit And Wonder, Rather Be), psychedelic gentility (Valium Skies, Judas) and brain-snatching extended freaks (Noise Epic, Numbness, Columbo). At its peak, The Verve thrived on the sometimes violent tension between singer Richard Ashcroft and guitarist Nick McCabe. Hopefully, the band has found the correct dosage (as indicated on Valium Skies) to keep it together this time around.

Graham Rockingham

Lykke Li

Album: Youth Novels
Label: LL
Rating: @@@@

THANK GOD FOR the Internet, otherwise we might never have been in-



The Verve return with Forth, a near-perfect album of passive-aggressive Brit rock.

troduced to 22-year-old Swedish songstress Lykke Li. After posting some tracks to MySpace, this subtle songwriter suddenly became the next big Scandinavian export. And the hype is warranted. Her debut disc is loaded with contagious melodies backed by minimalist keyboard tracks and quiet guitars. With production by Bjorn Yttling of Peter, Bjorn and John, Youth Novels is one of the most inspiring pop albums of the year.

Bryan Borzykowski

Hawksley Workman

Album: Los Manicuous
Label: Isadora/Universal
Rating: @@@@

AFTER WORKING BEHIND the scenes for the past couple of years on distinctly folk-oriented albums with artists like Jeremy Fisher and Jason Collett, Toronto-based Hawksley Workman comes out of the box with an upbeat pop-rock of an album filled with danceable beats,



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monster guitar riffs, cutesy keyboard patterns and witty, post-adolescent lyrics (Girls On Crutches, Fatty Wants To Dance, Kissing Girls You Shouldn't Kiss). With the help of a production team that includes the legendary Bob Ezrin (Pink Floyd, Lou Reed), Hawksley crafts some nice radio-friendly tunes here like Lonely People and Blink Pi-ano. At times, however, Los Manicuous sounds overly contrived. The best track is the one that fails to fit the formula, Oh You Delicate Heart. Here the sincerity is unquestioned. Somewhere inside Hawksley is a rootsy singer-songwriter waiting to break out.

Graham Rockingham

Gordie Sampson

Album: For The Few And Far Between
Label: MapleMusic/Universal
Rating: @@@@

MUCH HAS TRANSPIRED since Gordie Sampson's last solo album, Sunburn (2004).

Anointed by Keith Urban and hitting the top of the charts with Carrie Underwood (Jesus, Take The Wheel), this native of Big Pond, N.S., is now one of the most sought-after songwriters in Nashville. But don't categorize Gordie as a Cape Breton country boy. Sampson is a master craftsman closer in style to Elvis Costello than George Canyon (although he wrote the great My Name with George). Sampson builds songs around imperfect characters like the doomed sailor in Davey Jones, the hip poetess of Montreal, or Bob Evans, the suburban dad who seeks love under the choir robes of the local church. Canada is blessed with a lot of fine songwriters of this calibre. Right now, Sampson may be the best.

Graham Rockingham

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Zeppelin working on new material

MUSIC Led Zeppelin musicians Jimmy Page, John Paul Jones and Jason Bonham have been working on new material, BBC News Online reports.

Drummer Bonham told a radio station in Detroit that the songs could be destined for a new Led Zeppelin album. Writing new material has been "on the cards" since the band's one-off reunion show in London last December, he told 94.7 WCSX.

But lead singer Robert Plant has not been involved in any of the sessions, he added. METRO NEWS SERVICES

Oprah Winfrey top talk-show earner

TV No one comes close to rivalling Oprah Winfrey as the highest paid talk-show personality, imdb.com reports.

In the latest Forbes magazine list, Winfrey holds the top spot with \$275 million US a year, nearly four times the amount that the second person on the list, radio shock-jock Howard Stern, earns (\$75 million).

Third place wound up in a tie between David Letterman and Judge Judy Sheindlin, who each earned



Winfrey

about \$45 million, while Dr. Phil McGraw rounded out the Top 5 with \$40 million.

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Original 90210 stars make up

TV The original 90210 kids long since left high school and apparently they've left the old drama behind, too, People.com reports.

Shannen Doherty, the most notoriously difficult member of the original cast, says things are positively pleasant between her and Jennie Garth on the set of the new 90210.

"There was almost a comfort in knowing that I was getting to work with somebody who had been on the original with me and gone through the same experiences," she said. METRO NEWS SERVICES



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Eli Stone gathers Henson

Taraji Henson, who last season played Carl Sack's New York office colleague on Boston Legal, has been booked for a three-episode arc on Eli Stone. TVGUIDE.COM

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Coens open Venice fest

Brad Pitt and George Clooney hit the red carpet yesterday with their latest movie *Burn After Reading*, a satirical comedy by Oscar winners the Coen brothers which opens this year's Venice film festival.

The actors brought A-list star power to the 11-day event which features everything from obscure Asian art-house cinema to Hollywood heavyweights.

Although there are five U.S. films in the main competition lineup of 21, they all represent lower-budget, "independent" cinema as opposed to the big studios, which are not in Venice this time around.

Festival director Marco Mueller brushed aside concerns that Venice, which faces stiff competition from the Toronto film festival starting next month and the Rome film festival in October, was struggling to secure top titles and talent.

Mueller, who with his team saw around 3,000 films, which were whittled down to 55 in the official selection, said the lighter Hollywood studio presence was partly down to the 14-week writers' strike that ended in February.

"We have five American films in competition and



Directors Joel and Ethan Coen arrive at the premiere of their movie *Burn After Reading* at the 65th Venice Film Festival in Venice, Italy yesterday.

most of those films are films with stars, so in a way the strike only meant that some of the bigger studio films will only be released late December or

January," he said. "But American cinema is very much at the centre of the program."

Burn After Reading is not in competition, but re-

action in Venice will indicate whether Joel and Ethan Coen can repeat their success of 2008 when *No Country For Old Men* won four Academy Awards including best picture and director.

The festival, held on the Lido island just across the water from the canal city, is increasingly seen as an early barometer of Oscar glory and recently helped launch the award campaigns of films such as *The Queen* and *Brokeback Mountain*.

Burn After Reading is a black comedy that follows two gym employees seeking to sell a computer disc containing memoirs of a sacked CIA analyst, but events quickly spiral out of control.

U.S. films in competition in Venice include *Rachel Getting Married*, directed by Oscar-winner Jonathan Demme and starring Anne Hathaway and Debra Winger, who has been nominated three times for an Academy Award.

Kathryn Bigelow directs Iraqi drama *The Hurt Locker*, a year after Brian De Palma's *Redacted* stunned audiences in Venice with its brutal reconstruction of real-life events from the war. **REUTERS**

YouTube screens No End movie

ONLINE Charles Ferguson is bringing his documentary *No End in Sight* to YouTube, Reuters reports.

An Oscar nominee for best feature-length documentary and winner of a special jury prize at the 2007 Sundance Film Festival, *No End* casts a critical eye on U.S. decisions made during the early months of the war in Iraq. From Sept. 1 to Nov. 4, the film will screen on YouTube, becoming the first widely released feature film to play in full on the site.

Bond star denies assault claims

PEOPLE Former James Bond star George Lazenby has denied allegations he assaulted his first wife and was an abusive alcoholic during their marriage, BBC News Online reports. Lazenby is fighting for custody of his three children with his second wife, Pamela Shriver, who had filed for divorce.

Christina Master, from whom he split in 1994 and their 34-year-old daughter alleged he beat and threatened them.

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Spielberg still on board Tintin

MOVIES Although Brussels' Hergé Studios seems to think otherwise, Steven Spielberg remains committed to directing the first in a planned Tintin trilogy for DreamWorks.

It will be his next directing effort after this summer's *Indiana Jones and the Kingdom of the Crystal Skull*, which has grossed \$780 million US worldwide.

Hergé Studios, which holds the rights to the

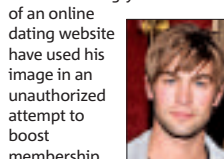
iconic comic strip character, said via a spokesman that Peter Jackson was moving into the director's chair for the first film. But both Jackson's and Spielberg's representatives say that Jackson will direct the sequel and serve as a producer on the first film.

In the meantime, Jackson will finish postproduction on *The Lovely Bones* for DreamWorks/Paramount before moving on to co-write the two *Hobbit* movies for New Line and MGM.

The first Tintin feature will be based on two books, *The Secret of the Unicorn* and *Red Rackham's Treasure*, written by Tintin creator Hergé — the pen name of Belgian artist Georges Remi — between 1942 and 1944. **REUTERS**

Entertainment in brief

PEOPLE Gossip Girl star Chace Crawford is angry that bosses of an online dating website have used his image in an unauthorized attempt to boost membership.



Crawford is pictured in the ad on WooMe.com alongside a tagline that reads: "Find guys and girls near you." **IMDB.COM**

PEOPLE Actress Courtney Cox has been involved in a

car crash while on holiday in Hawaii. She was driving a white BMW outside the Waikoloa Hilton recently when she collided with a truck. Police have confirmed neither party was injured during the incident. **IMDB.COM**

TV Cable network AMC has angered online fans of its critically acclaimed drama *Mad Men* by asking social networking site Twitter to shut down feeds inspired by the show.

The fan-penned feeds consist of brief text-message-length posts in the voices of *Mad Men* characters. **REUTERS**

Actress Phillips arrested for drugs

PEOPLE Actress MacKenzie Phillips was arrested at Los Angeles International Airport yesterday for alleged drug possession, People.com reports.

"She was being screened by airport security when a small amount of what appeared to be heroin and cocaine were found on her person," Sgt. Jim Holcomb said. "She was arrested at about 10 a.m. and is still in custody."

A rep for the actress wasn't available for comment. **METRO NEWS SERVICES**



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The Sixth Sense star Haley Joel Osment, 20, is to make his Broadway bow in David Mamet's American Buffalo. The revival opens Nov. 17 at the Belasco Theater. IMDb.com



David Cassidy fans holding his set list. From left, Susan Hartigan, Lisa Peck, Jennifer Crowther, Pam Mountain, Beth Wohlfahrt and Karen Williams.



David Cassidy backstage at Casino Nova Scotia with Anna Zee and J.C. Douglas.



Right: Brothers Terry, left, and Dave Vaiscount at Molson Give-R, at The Argyle Bar & Grill.

Right: Dogs are out for Nuts 4 Ribs. From left, Paul Boudreau, Katie MacDougall, Ben Boudreau, Jason Wade, Lisa Mason and dogs Theo & Calvin.



'70s Flashback with David Cassidy at Casino Nova Scotia. From left, Kelly O'Neill, Cyndi Locke, Brenda and Brian Robichaud.

Right: Chelsea Walsh and K8 from Z-103 stop in for some fun at Molson Give-R.



Left: Mother and daughter Meghan, left, and Colette Williams-Dooks with Stephen McCurdy, left, and MLA Bill Dooks. Right: Colleen Henderson, left, Jeff Theriault and Lisa MacDormand at Argyle's rooftop patio.

Cassidy mania

HalifaxScene

Anna Zee

Another week has passed, giving The Scene the chance to take in some cool summer events.

On Friday, the Molson Give-R at The Argyle Bar & Grill was the place to be. The rooftop patio was the perfect way to kick off the weekend and enjoy a hot summer night in Halifax.

This month, the Parker Street Furniture and Food Bank benefited from the money raised.

From the Give-R, it was over to Casino Nova Scotia to see David Cassidy. Picture a room full of women reliving the heyday of when David Cassidy was a teen heartthrob and Partridge Family member. He wore a tartan that Karen Williams and Susan Hartig presented to him before the show.

He opened with Hush, originally by Deep Purple, then did some Partridge Family songs and Beatles classics. He also told the story of New Year's 1974, when John

Lennon showed up at his house and they played Beatles songs together. He whipped out a few guitar picks and threw them into the audience — one nearly took out my eye. Yes, I nearly got taken out by a Partridge and it wasn't Danny Bonaduce.

That night, it was good to be David Cassidy.

On Saturday, The Scene took in Nuts 4 Ribs at DeWolf Park, a fundraiser for testicular cancer and men's health. Rib lovers united and enjoyed some of the best ribs The Scene has ever tasted. There was lots of entertainment, including a band that fit the event perfectly. The BBQ Kings.

The events continued at Weir Baseball Field in Upper Sackville for the Weir Rockin' '08. Lots of people showed up to see Chilliwack. The flashbacks continued with Haywire and Jon Mullane, formerly Jonathan M, on the same bill. Congrats to organizers and volunteers for pulling off a great event.

Next week Jamie Paterson is back from vacation, hopefully, rested and ready to go. It's been a fun couple of weeks filling in for him and enjoying summer full-on in Halifax. Enjoy what's left of it. See ya.

When she's not filling in for Jamie Paterson on The Scene, Anna Zee hosts the Electric Lunch on Q104.



Sharon and Mark Fraser enjoy a kid-free night at Molson Give-R.



David Cassidy brings out his fans. Darlene Guilcher, left, and Linda Megeney.



Scott and Chez Rideout enjoy a quiet moment during Nuts 4 Ribs at DeWolf Park in Bedford.

Runway show comes up short

The British version of hit U.S. fashion design series Project Runway has been cancelled. Project Catwalk, which is hosted by Kelly Osbourne, has been dropped from TV schedules after it failed to pull in viewers. [IMDb.com](#)



Fall Out Boy's disc out election day

MUSIC Rock band Fall Out Boy's fifth album, *Folie à Deux*, will hit shelves Nov. 4, the same day as the U.S. presidential election.

Heralding Island's release of the album, the band has released an online mixtape, *Welcome to the New Administration*.

On it are five Fall Out Boy demo tracks expected to appear on the album, including *Lake Effect Kid*, *America's Sweethearts*, *I Don't Care*, *ALPHAdog* and *OMEGAmaniac* and *Catch Me if You Can/Proclamation of Emancipation*, the latter featuring Gym Class Heroes' Travis McCoy.

ABC orders up more Newlyweds

TV ABC has renewed last season's reality success *Here Come the Newlyweds* for a second round.

The one-hour romantic-comedy series will return mid-season. On the show, nine recently married couples compete for hundreds of thousands of dollars.

ABC has increased the series order from last season's six episodes to eight.

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Kids choosing Internet

THE FUTURE IS NOW, IT JUST CAN'T VOTE YET: The New York Times ran a story this week putting the usual

alarmist spin on what's little more than an unadorned fact; children ages 10 to 14, at least according to a recent study, are more attracted to the Internet than the family television set, one of those "water wet; sand dry" truisms that was characterized in the first line by children "spending too much time online."

Eighty-three per cent of the junior high, tween and early high school crowd spends an hour or more online every day, as opposed to a mere 68 per cent devoting that much time to television viewing. They use the net to research big purchases such as toys and electronics and on social networking sites like Facebook and MySpace, but the Times deemed it worth noting that only 60 per cent frequented blogs. Frankly, I'm amazed that many were blog readers, the blogosphere being dominated

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mostly by vicious and often tedious partisan political shouting matches. (Kids see plenty of that at Thanksgiving and Christmas.)

The Times politely refrained from mentioning what most of them are doing — playing games and downloading music, movies and TV shows, perhaps out of a protective urge to deflect scrutiny from minors until they're in college and riper targets for alienating intellectual property lawsuits. It's apparently more age-appropriate to repurpose the usual fretting about socially stunted couch potatoes to the new, more interactive medium.

Specious arguments about children spoiled by the Internet's instant grati-



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Sutherland

fication aside — let's remember that there's a big difference between learning the virtue of patience and enforcing pointless delays — it looks like kids are simply voicing a preference for the nascent, but essentially superior marketplace of the Internet over the constricted and sclerotic model of broadcast television.

These are the demands of future consumers and the business of providing entertainment had better evolve to suit their preferences by the time they're

old enough to get cable; their older brothers and sisters are already eschewing TVs for laptops as they move from dorm room to first apartment.

If we continue telling them that 2008 still needs to look like 1955, they're going to find someone else who'll deliver the goods in a medium that looks more like a Wal-Mart and less like the Gum department store in downtown Moscow in the early '80s.

FIRE UNDER OBVIOUS: "The kind of money generated around the industry is way out of proportion," Kiefer Sutherland told the San Francisco Gate this week. "The admiration bestowed on actors is also out of perspective." The 24 star said that he thought doctors, teachers, firefighters and police officers deserved to be paid more, though he didn't elaborate the precise method he would be using to redistribute his income.

Rick McGinnis writes about music, movies, books and television, but not opera.

Germany's Office off to big screen

TV Stromberg, the German adaptation of the BBC hit TV series *The Office*, is being adapted as a feature film.

Christoph Maria Herbst will star as the incompetent boss of a small-time insurance office, the role that made him famous in Germany.

German comedy outfit Brainpool is producing the project, which is planned as the finale to the sitcom's fourth season. Writer and series co-creator Ralf Husmann will pen the script.

In its third season on Pro7, Stromberg already has run longer than its BBC predecessor, as has the U.S. version on NBC.

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making it work

• In every episode of the BBC series *The Office*, there is a shot from the exact same angle of the photocopier making copies of a document.

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critics' corner

Batman Beyond: Return of the Joker

In the darker style of the "Batman Beyond" series, this 2000 direct-to-video movie has Terry (Bruce Wayne's successor) confronting the Joker after the evil mastermind nearly kills Wayne. 11 PM on TOON



Ugly Betty

Remember Gina, the Suarezes' former neighbor and nemesis? She's back, married to a doctor and eager to torment Hilda (Ana Ortiz) with her wonderful new life. Betty (America Ferrera) faces another difficult woman at work: Renee (Gabrielle Union), who's convinced Betty is trying to steal Daniel (Eric Mabius) from her. Ava Gaudet returns as Gina in "Burning Questions." 9 PM on ASN

Carousel

What starts out a touching story of love and marriage turns tragic when the husband is killed during a crime he committed to try to support his new family. As a wayward spirit, he is allowed to return to Earth for one day to help the daughter he never knew find her own happiness. Gordon MacRae, Shirley Jones and Gene Lockhart star in this 1956 Rodgers and Hammerstein musical. 10 PM on V

Celebrity Buzz

Sheridan, Bolton split

BREAKUP Nicollette Sheridan and Michael Bolton are again going their separate ways, People.com reports.

"Nicollette Sheridan and Michael Bolton have amicably ended their engagement," said Nicole Perna, a rep for the actress.

"They appreciate your respect for their

privacy in this matter." The couple's relationship originally started in 1992, and lasted for five years.

The musician, 55, and the *Desperate Housewives* star, 44, resumed seeing one another in 2005.

In March 2006, they announced their wedding engagement.

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Aguilera wants another

FAMILY Christina Aguilera wants to have another baby, femalefirst.co.uk reports.

The singer, who gave birth to her first child, Max Liron, in January, revealed she and husband Jordan Bratman hope to add to their brood because they love parenthood so much.

"It is the best thing you will ever do in your life," she said.

"It just lights up my whole world when Max laughs.

"Being a mother just gives you a whole new sense of purpose, and it's just the most amazing thing.

"I was in awe of the entire experience of pregnancy — the entire journey was just incredible."

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Here's some sexy advice, guys: Shut up

RELATIONSHIPS Victoria's Secret stunner Adriana Lima may be off the market, thanks to her engagement to Minnesota Timberwolves Marko Jaric, but she's still offering tips on how a fella can land his very own angel, the *New York Daily News* reports.

"Be yourself," Lima told the newspaper in an interview.

"And don't talk about yourself too much. That's not sexy."

So no talking about, say, owning your own private plane?

"No," Lima said with a laugh.

"Don't tell me about your jet.

"I'm not interested."

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Hudson defends self over lawsuit

IN COURT Kate Hudson has fired back at claims she stole the idea for a line of hair-care products, imdb.com reports. The actress was named in a lawsuit

which suggests she took a sample given to her by bosses at 220 Labs and created her own line with it

with David Babaii. A spokesperson

for the actress denies the claims: "Kate does not

know the

plaintiffs."

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Tyler sisters met at Aerosmith gig

FAMILY Model-turned-author Mia Tyler had no idea actress Liv Tyler was her half-sister when the pair first met at an Aerosmith concert, imdb.com reports.

Neither girl had been told of the other's existence, but they instinctively knew they were connected after meeting backstage at one of their father Steve Tyler's shows. Mia, who was eight at the time, recalls, "There was this girl who looked like me. I went home that night and I couldn't stop talking about her, and my mom was like, 'Wait a minute ...' and I think she started putting two and two together and she was like, 'That's your sister.'"

The Tyler sisters are now helping each other cope with single life — Mia recently split from fiancé Brian Harrah, while Liv is going through a divorce with rocker Royston Langdon.

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Lohan's daddy is fed up with Ronson relationship

SOUNDING OFF Lindsay Lohan's father Michael has slammed his daughter's rumoured girlfriend Samantha Ronson over reports she is to write a tell-all book about her life with the actress, imdb.com reports.

Lohan and Ronson have been close friends for several years and are now said to be in a relationship.

Now Ronson is reportedly set to reveal intimate details of her life in a new tome.

"She's certainly telling friends she's planning to write a book," a source says. "It's supposed to be about her, allegedly. But come on, you know Lindsay will be all over that book. She's the only one people want to read about."

The rumours have infuriated Lohan's father, who claims the DJ is just using his daughter to get her own slice of fame.

"I've shut up about this long enough," he says. "She's using my

daughter. People never even knew who Samantha Ronson was until she met Lindsay. She was just some Los Angeles DJ. And now she's writing a book?

"I am at wit's end with this stuff. This is not in Lindsay's best interest.

Let's just say I hope Lind-

say starts opening her eyes and realizes who the people using her are."

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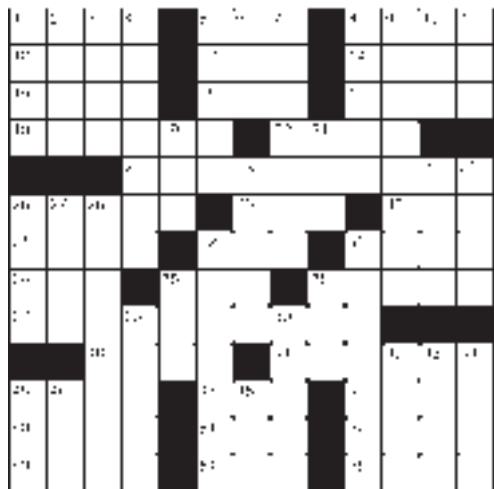
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Another Trudeau

eTalk Quebec correspondent Sophie-Gregorie Trudeau and her husband Justin Trudeau are expecting their second child. Gregoire-Trudeau says she is four months pregnant. The couple has a 10-month-old son. **ETALK**

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Crossword down

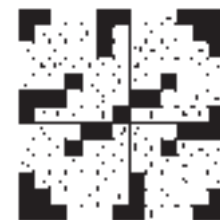
- 1 Resorts international?
- 2 Post-bath application
- 3 Vicinity
- 4 Glitch-causing gnome
- 5 Piece of parsley
- 6 "I thought so"
- 7 Cratchit kid
- 8 Ledge
- 9 Obliterated
- 10 Dadaist Jean
- 11 "Absolutely"
- 19 Brooch
- 21 "You've got mail" biz
- 23 Part of Hispaniola
- 24 Puncturing tools
- 25 Bigfoot's cousin
- 26 Trudge (on)
- 27 Old Italian coin
- 28 Food of the gods
- 32 Putting a whammy on
- 33 Pirate's weapon
- 35 Firmament
- 36 With 37-Across, Batman
- 38 Final bell?
- 39 Spirit
- 42 Tittle
- 43 Monad
- 44 No more than
- 45 Foundation
- 46 Rd.
- 48 Payable

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Crossword across

- 1 Unescorted
- 5 Weekend abbr.
- 8 Convince
- 12 Henry VIII's sixth wife
- 13 — Beta Kappa
- 14 Employ
- 15 Out of the storm
- 16 Operated
- 17 Omar of "House"
- 18 Shrimp recipe
- 20 Harvard rival
- 22 Sunrise
- 26 Unembellished
- 29 Have a bug
- 30 Have a balance
- 31 Describe
- 32 Muppets creator Henson
- 33 Fervent following
- 34 Scepter topper
- 35 Take a chair
- 36 Rwandan people
- 37 See 36-Down
- 40 Cameo stone
- 41 Balloon fill
- 45 Diamond corner
- 47 Altar affirmative
- 49 Highly rated
- 50 Satan's forte
- 51 Greek consonants
- 52 Use a teaspoon
- 53 Transaction
- 54 Understand
- 55 Fill till full

previous day's answer



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This day in history

AUG. 28, 1963: During a 200,000-person civil rights rally in at the Lincoln Memorial in Washington, D.C., Martin Luther King, Jr. gives his famous I have a dream speech.
 AUG. 28, 1964: The Philadelphia race riot begins.
 AUG. 28, 1968: Riots erupt in Chicago, Ill., during the Democratic National Convention.
 AUG. 28, 1982: The first Gay Games are held in San Francisco.
 AUG. 28, 1988: Three aircraft of the Freccia Tricolori demonstration team collide and fall into the crowd where 75 are killed and 346 are seriously injured as part of the Ramstein airshow disaster.
 AUG. 28, 1990: Iraq declares Kuwait to be its newest province.

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HOW TO PLAY SUDOKU:

The digits 1 through 9 will appear exactly once in each row, each column, and each zone. (A zone is an outlined 3x3 grid within the larger puzzle grid. There are nine of these zones in the puzzle.) Do not enter a digit into a box if it already appears elsewhere in the same 3x3 zone, or in the same row across the puzzle, or column down the puzzle.

previous day's answer

1	6	3	8	4	7	9	2	5
7	9	5	3	2	1	6	8	4
4	2	8	9	6	5	1	7	3
2	8	7	4	1	9	3	5	6
6	4	9	5	3	8	2	1	7
3	5	1	6	7	2	4	9	8
5	1	4	2	8	6	7	3	9
9	7	6	1	5	3	8	4	2
8	3	2	7	9	4	5	6	1

SUDOKU SOLVE TIME IN MINUTES:

Under 13: Genius
 13-17 Scholar

Horoscopes

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ARIES

MARCH 21-APRIL 20

A neutral party will reconcile combatants. An astonished associate has a bizarre escapade. A witness will respond to rumours.

TAURUS

APRIL 21-MAY 21

Your perspective will dissolve monumental obstacles. A caller will need medical attention. Refuse to regret having a heart-to-heart chat.

GEMINI

MAY 22-JUNE 21

Hasty words will lead to a thrilling predicament. Unconscious urges will ensnare a woman. A practical associate will give a surprising invitation.

CANCER

JUNE 22-JULY 22

Don't pretend that all is well. A co-worker settles into a more stable routine. Get a strong grip on your self-control.

LEO

JULY 23-AUG 23

A vicious woman's hostility brings good fortune. Having your flaws pointed out leads to insights. Put off a demand for the repayment of a loan.

VIRGO

AUG 24-SEPT 22

A rude person will take sides in a dispute. A disorderly guy is chasing after greater pleasures. A business upswing sets plans in motion.

LIBRA

SEPT 23-OCT 23

Someone will escape from a dangerous place. Stand firm on your principles. A bashful person will keep things in line.

SCORPIO

OCT 24-NOV 22

A mature friend meets the challenge of depression. Remain calm and reflect on a revelation. A woman will exceed your expectations.

SAGITTARIUS

NOV 23-DEC 21

A colleague will give you a reward. Anxiety about a job makes for a perplexing message. A religious man is unbelievably optimistic.

CAPRICORN

DEC 22-JAN 20

Don't discuss improper info with a fumbling bureaucrat. Your temper flares, but don't give into it. A feisty woman will have a late bedtime.

AQUARIUS

JAN 21-FEB 18

A man questions the meaning of life. Favourable acts take place in the dark. An arrogant person has a major impact on your decisions.

PISCES

FEB 19-MAR 20

A difficult man will raise complaints. If you let your defenses down, a visit will be fun. Go out for a while when trouble disturbs your plans.

Sudoku

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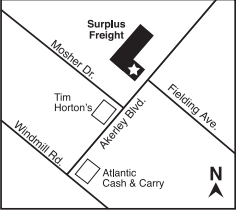


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